

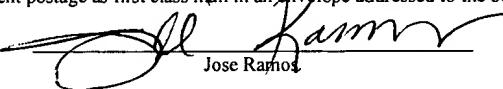
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Applicant(s) : Timothy J. Van Hook  
 Application No. : 09/625,812  
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 Title : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INTERLEAVED GRAPHICS PROCESSING  
 Group/Unit : 2676  
 Examiner : D. K. Singh  
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Dear Sir:

This is an amendment and response to the outstanding office action dated February 12, 2003 in the present application (paper #2). Please make the following amendments in the present application.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (ONCE AMENDED) A programmable processor for executing a plurality of programs, said programmable processor comprising:  
an execution pipeline having a pipeline latency; and